



**PATENT**

**THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

**In re Application of:** Farnworth et al.

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**For:** PROCESSES FOR FACILITATING  
REMOVAL OF STEREOLITHOGRAPHICALLY  
FABRICATED OBJECTS FROM PLATENS OF  
STEREOLITHOGRAPHIC FABRICATION  
EQUIPMENT OBJECT RELEASE ELEMENTS FOR  
EFFECTING SUCH PROCESSES, SYSTEMS AND  
FABRICATION PROCESSES EMPLOYING THE  
OBJECT RELEASE ELEMENTS, AND OBJECTS  
WHICH HAVE BEEN FABRICATED USING THE  
OBJECT RELEASE ELEMENTS

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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116**

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**Examiner:**

This Amendment follows the final Office Action of June 1, 2006, the shortened statutory period for response to which expires on September 1, 2006.

A listing of claim, in which amendments to the claims are set forth, begins on page 2 of this paper; and

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